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SUBJECT: INQUIRIES RE STATUS OF US CASES IN COCOM

1) COMMERCE IS CONCERNED THAT AN INCREASING NUMBER OF INQUIRIES MADE DIRECTLY TO THE US DELEGATE TO COCOM CONCERNING THE STATUS OF INDIVIDUAL US EXPORT TRANSACTIONS REQUIRING COCOM CLEARANCE WILL ADD AN EXTRA WORK LOAD FACTOR TO THE ALREADY OVERBURDENED US MISSION OECD PARIS.

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2) COMMERCE RECOGNIZES THE NATURAL INTEREST ON THE PART OF

THE US EXPORTER AND THE CONSIGNEE IN THE IMPORTING COUNTRY
RE STATUS OF CERTAIN TRANSACTIONS. COMMERCE PREFERS,
HOWEVER, THAT SUCH REQUESTS BE REFERRED TO ITS OFFICE OF
EXPORT ADMINISTRATION FOR ACTION RATHER THAN TO OECD PARIS.
SOME US FIRMS HAVE BEEN TELEPHONING OECD PARIS RE STATUS
CHECKS. WHILE COMMERCE HAS NO CONTROL OVER SUCH ACTIV-
ITIES, IT DISCOURSES ANY DIRECT CONTACT WITH OECD PARIS.
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